

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	Fei Ge, et al	)	Confirmation No.:	9360
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Serial No.:	10/830,211	)	Examiner:	Morrison, Jay A.
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Filing Date:	April 21, 2004	)	Art Unit:	2168

For: Cost-Based Optimizer for an XML Data Repository within a Database

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**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 30, 2008, the shortened statutory period for which runs until August 30, 2008. Please revise the subject application as indicated below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.